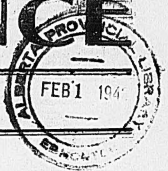


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The very severe weather and condition of the roads, has made it very difficult for the Mail Carrier to make the rounds of the different Post Offices tributary to Chinook. On the last trip which was made by a Ford Ferguson tractor with sleigh attached reached as far as Big Stone P. O. where engine trouble developed and the trip abandoned. With the return of better weather conditions the service will no doubt be on schedule again.

From radio and newspaper reports, the same condition pertaining to other parts of the province, and the Post Office Department is making every effort to give the residents of rural districts service.

Mrs. Bjorsvik of Ellscoff, arrived here last week and is visiting for a few weeks at the home of her parents and with other relatives.

Mrs. Goddard and small son of Calgary, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Anderson left for her home last week.

Miss Alice Gilbertson of MacLeod arrived here on Tuesday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbertson.



We regret very much that we were not able to publish the 'Chinook Advance' last week, owing to the extremely cold weather.

Pte. Milligan L. E. of the 3rd. Battalion Edmonton Fusiliers stationed at Prince George, B. C. is spending a two weeks' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milligan.

Sgt. F. E. and Mrs. Robinson of Victoria, B. C. is spending two weeks' leave with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bayley and other relatives.

Pte. Peterson R. G. of 3rd Battalion Edmonton Fusiliers stationed at Ruessal, B. C. left Wednesday night after having ten days leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Peterson.

Pte. Cicon Bill who is stationed at Victoria, spent his two weeks leave with his mother.

A farewell party was held Monday evening in the School Hall, in honor of three soldiers namely: Messrs Happy Milligan, Bill Cicon and Ray Peterson. Although the evening was extremely cold a good crowd was present, due to bad roads and the cold, very few were in from the country. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing. Hot coffee and lunch, was served at midnight by the ladies.

At the close the soldiers were encircled when they sang "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows".

Following a blizzard of two weeks ago the thermometer registered 52 below zero, and today it is down to zero.

The Ladies, Card Club met, Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. L. Robinson. Honors were shared by Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. Peyton.

The Club will meet next week at the home of Mrs. Lee.

Teacher Shortage To Be Investigated

EDMONTON, Jan. 19 (CP) — Provincial Education officials announce today that a sweeping survey of the school shortage situation in Alberta is to be made by Dr. W. H. Swift recently appointed chief inspector of schools for the province.

Officials said they were without definite information about the number of schools that may have been closed because of a lack of teachers, and their survey would obtain a clear picture of the province-wide situation.

Chinook Annual School Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Chinook Consolidated School district, was held on Saturday, Jan. 23rd. The attendance of ratepayers was very small due no doubt to the condition of roads and severely cold weather.

Mr. Bell was elected by the ratepayers present as Chairman. Mr. Lorne Proudfoot Secretary presented the Financial statement, several items were discussed and questions asked regarding van driving etc. Mr. Charyk gave a review of the years work in regard to the pupils and the school, which was very gratifying to the ratepayers present to hear of the publicity the school had received through the Press, and the visit of Dr. Carpenter, and they showed their appreciation of Mr. Charyk's services and efficiency by the applause which greeted the adoption of the report. The Inspectors reports were read by the Secretary.

Nominations were in order for trustees, in the divisions of 'rocos and Carpathia, Mr. Hille was re-elected, in the other division represented by Mr. Ford, there were no ratepayers present and no nomination was made.

After the Financial and Teachers report had been approved by the meeting, a motion to adjourn was in order.

Contributed by Mr. Warren.



By Dr. K. W. Nealey
Director, Agricultural Department
North-West, Live Education Association
1943 OBJECTIVES AND FARM LABOUR

No doubt prairie farmers resolved, on January 1st, to meet the farm production objectives made public by the government a few weeks ago. Some of the increases for 1943 over 1942 are: oats, 12%; barley 11%; flax, 68%; alfalfa, 17%; cattle, 9%; hogs, 28%; sheep, 12%; eggs, 29%; creamery butter, 15%; powdered milk, 41% (decreased condensed milk, 27%).

In 1942, farmers responded nobly to demands for food products. Can they meet the 1943 requirements? That they will try, no one doubts. Certainly the increases in food products outlined above are urgently needed; but let us not be over-optimistic. Last year, pastures and feed crops were abundant as never before. Last year, besides supplying enormous quantities of food, the prairie farmers released thousands of their ablest men, to the armed forces, and to war industries in cities. Next year may be dry, and next year farm labour will be far more scarce.

It is useless simply to hide our heads in the sand or to look for miracles. Failure to meet the 1943 production objectives might be extremely serious, but is the probable outcome if a definite plan to meet farm labour problems is not undertaken very soon. Either the supply of farm workers must be increased or the workers must be redistributed in some way so that farmers are not obliged to reduce cattle, dairy cows, hogs and poultry.

At present it looks as though the problem is just dumped in the farmer's lap. Farmers are entitled to expect government guidance and to expect it soon.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

Choice Graham Wafers	lb. pkt.	23c
Crosby's Molasses	5 lb tins per tin	45c
Swifts Premium Pork Sausage	per tin	29c
Bean Soup Mix	per pkt	38c
Tomato Catsup 20 oz tins	2 for	33c
Princess Soap Flakes	per pkt	25c
Lemon Pie Filler	per tin	18c
Bakers Unsweetened Chocolate	lb box	20c
Corn Flakes	12 oz pkt 2 for	25c
Roman Meal	per pkt	33c

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Spare "C" coupons 10 and 11 may not be used for the purchase of butter. Coupons 1 to 4 inclusive, have already expired.

Expiry dates for spare "C" coupons 5 to 8, inclusive, have been extended to aid consumers in stretching out the butter allowance over the period from now until February 28th.

Each coupon will continue to be good for the purchase of one-half pound of butter and will be good only on the dates specified below:

HERE IS THE NEW SCHEDULE

Coupon Number	Good for purchase beginning on:	Not good for purchase after:
5 and 6	January 18th	February 28th
7 and 8	February 1st	February 28th
9	March 1st	March 14th

The result of this is to reduce each individual's allowance by 2 2/3 ounces per week during the temporary period.

CONSUMERS WILL FIND IT ADVISABLE TO RATION THEMSELVES SO THAT THEY MAY BE ABLE TO STRETCH THE NEW BUTTER ALLOWANCE OVER THE NEXT SIX WEEKS

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FROM GREAT BRITAIN In recent months there have come newspaper reports which indicate a growing interest in the Dominion of Canada. No doubt this is due in part to the presence of large numbers of Canadian troops who are at all times eager to tell interested British listeners about Canada. The success of the Commonwealth Air Training Plan has also made the Dominion familiar to many British airmen who have received training here. The Dieppe raid by combined British and Canadian forces, also served to arouse British concern in Canada and Canadians, and accounts of the part played by Canadians in the raid were featured in the British press, as was the capture of the German battleship *Typhoon* by the Canadian cruiser *Albatross* in the Mediterranean. Many of the eye-witness accounts, written by Canadian correspondents were published fully, and many pictures of the Canadians in action were shown.

Now, however, it is not unusual to find several stories about Canada in one day, and a number of British publications, including the *London Times*, the *Manchester Guardian* and *Reuter's News Agency*, have full-time correspondents in Canada. Many others have representatives in the United States, who keep in touch with Canadian affairs and report on them. Drastic reduction in the size of British newspapers, due to the acute shortage of paper, has limited the quantity of all news published, for few papers there now consist of more than four pages. In view of this, the attention given to Canada has increased in a very large measure, and there can be no doubt of the growing interest which is being taken in our affairs.

parts of the world. There is a keen awareness of the part which the Canadian is playing in the Battle of the Atlantic. It is known, too, that Canada is sending over large quantities of food and munitions, and there is a realization of the sincere desire of the Canadian people to play their full part in the winning of the war. This growing consciousness in Britain of Canada, and the realization that the people of this country are doing their utmost to be of far-reaching benefit both to Great Britain and to ourselves. Much has been said about encouraging immigration to Canada after the war, and if this is done, there is no doubt but that many British people, stirred by stories of the attractions of life in Canada, will desire to come and settle there. We have a fine country with rich resources. Some of these have been developed, but there are many great potentials, and it is gratifying to know that the interest and appreciation of the people of Britain in our country is increasing.

**Workmen Are Stepping Into Jobs
In Wartime Industry**

Canadian workmen, who in peacetime time acquired their skill in different trades, are stepping into the shoes of their foremen in the aircraft industry to fill many essential jobs in the war-time plant industry. One of the most important, and gaining in prominence continually, is the wood working industry. That in pre-war days manufactured aircraft were made of wood is well known. One of these plants, located in Kitchener, Ontario, has completed its change over to war production and is now making aircraft parts. The skilled men in the process of transferring their knowledge to the new objects are the woodworkers. In the out-peace-time, the company, at the outbreak of the war, found itself well-equipped with skilled labor and management, with a little inexperience in the aircraft manufacturing field. Today, the plant is engaged in the fabrication of such aircraft parts as fuselages, tail assemblies, and stabilizers. It also makes plywood stabilizers. For the new "Cornell" primary trainer.

British Know How Necessary They Are Especially in Wartime

Like the Romans, the British are great road builders, says W. L. Clark in the Windsor Star. They appreciate the necessity of trunk transportation roads and railways, especially in war. In the Middle East the British have built 1,300 miles of railway linking up Tobruk with Egypt, Palestine, Syria and Iraq. Also, the British have been maintaining 4,600 miles of roads. They have been operating 20 different ports. All that is needed to keep the fighting forces in fighting trim.

Beladondora, formerly from Central Europe, is now being raised in North America.



—Photos courtesy Monetary Times, Toronto.

In the Niagara Rapids is a steel barge which nearly carried several workmen to their death over the great Niagara Falls. Breaking away from the tug which had it in tow more than 20 years ago, the barge was saved by a miracle, stopped by a rock in the rapids. While the men were rescued the barge still remains a memento of a brush with death. This picture is from an Associated Screen News "Did You Know That?" movie short. 2500

LIST OF GRADUATES

The following students graduated from the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan:

No. 38 Service Pilot Training School,
Eatevass, Sask. (T.A.F.), (Pilots)
*O. G. F. Cook, Lethbridge, Alta.
No. 7 Bombing and Gunnery School,
Paulson, Man. (Wireless Air Gun-
ners)

Sgt. R. D. Bennett, Winnipeg, Man.
Sgt. J. V. Chikoy, Dodgeville, Minn.
Sgt. H. C. Johnson, Portland, Me.
Sgt. W. J. Dixon, Joplinville, Sask.
Sgt. E. A. McCallum, Regina, Sask.
Sgt. H. K. Powerton, Treharne, Man.
Sgt. D. L. Harrison, St. Catharines, Ont.

Sask.

Sgt. R. M. Hanson, Winnepeg, Man.
Sgt. H. B. Lewis, Moffat, Sask.
Sgt. P. G. MacNeil, Yorkton, Sask.
Sgt. G. L. Lewis, Hamilton, Ont.
Sgt. A. Luczak, Winnipeg, Man.
Sgt. S. G. Smith, Regina, Sask.
Sgt. F. Pfaff, Hirschfeld, Sask.
Sgt. H. H. Brown, Regina, Sask.
Sgt. T. P. Wickhamman, Watson, Sask.

No. 7 Bombing and Gunnery School,
Watson, Sask. (Bombardiers)

MORRIS W. WILSON, President and Managing Director, urges post war planning on basis of free enterprise —Only system likely to appeal to self-reliant young Canadians.

Sydney G. Dobson, Vice-President and General Manager, reports assets over \$1,291,000,000.—Liquid position exceedingly strong—War adds heavily to routine duties of banks.

The intent and ability of the free enterprise system to meet the challenge of the post war world was the keynote of an address by Morris W. Wilson, President and Managing Director of The Royal Bank of Canada at the bank's 74th Annual Meeting. He pointed out that at present the taxpayer was always eight months in arrears in his payments and that this extra tax liability could, under certain circumstances, become a very serious burden. He felt that a cancellation of taxes for the eight

"Assuming intelligent co-operation on the part of government," said Mr. Wilson, "free enterprise, which has already provided for the people who are most concerned about their comfort and security in the world's history, can meet the challenge of the post-war world. It can, by accepting its responsibilities, provide the means for men from the evils that accompany state control—oblitration of private initiative; loss of personal freedom; elimination of the right of free choice; and the extinction of those extra gains which fairly go to those who have contributed to the nation."

The months involved would not necessarily be too long, he estimated, if the United States. It would only become necessary to retain the higher scale of taxation for a somewhat longer period than he had indicated. The Government would then be collecting its taxes from current earnings and not on earnings of the preceding year.

Mr. Wilson also stated that the Government would respond favorably to the many representations that were being made to it on this subject.

GENERAL MANAGER'S ADDRESS

"Free enterprise, with its wealth of experience, established position, and wide resources, is the only system that can meet the challenges that can be done. The prophet who now foretells that our whole systems will be replaced by a new order of economic heaven and earth as yet unformed, is not only misguided but also irresponsible. His teachings, his preachings interfere with confident concentration on the war effort, and his speculations are a hindrance to the solution of the problems of peace.

"Changes must be made to account of realities rather than theories. When this war is won, the soldier will wish to get back to his everyday life; the farmer will wish to own his own farm; the small householder will desire to retain his ownership; the retailer, the wholesaler, and the manufacturer will be found as anxious as ever to carry on their own branches of our free enterprise; and the three

"Total assets are now \$1,291,651,946, an all-time high in the history of the company," says Mr. Dobson, who adds that the company's net income for the year of \$216,496,185," said Mr. Dobson. "Our liquid position is actually up from the year of \$906,440,259 representing 75.44% of our total liability to the public."

Mr. Dobson also stated that deposits for the year of 1,183,271,102 had increased by over \$225,000,000. The total of \$829,039,940 were in Canada.

of this nation, I think the proposition needs only to be stated to reveal its folly. At the same time, it is dangerous to allow its propaganda to go on unanswered."

Mr. Wilson said he did not ridicule the views of anyone upon the sole ground that he was a socialist or

"The main reason, however," he said, "often lies in their lack of practical experience of business and the consequent lack of a widespread and understandable diffusion of the benefits of a free enterprise in the form of rising living standards. These facts are readily available. Business should assemble and disseminate the facts and counter public their irrefutable conclusions, showing the true intent and ability of the banks. It is not the case that the things that need to be done. This is the only real way to carry the message."

Compared with a year ago. Considering the tremendous expansion in business activity, the fact that the situation is anomalous, but the explanation is that the expansion is largely financed by the banks. "This is either financed directly by the Government, or because of prompt action by the Government on the accounts, the manufacturer is able to finance without any, or at any rate very little, delay. The result has been very good. There has never been a period in the history of this bank—and I may say a similar situation applies to other banks—and the expansion of commercial banks to deposits has been so low. The out-

There are plenty of hard-headed people in Canada who, for instance, look in this respect to the "hard-headed" Americans. The latter seem to be more than willing to let the Government extend its program of financing the war work. The General Manager reported that, in conformity with the government's policy, the bank had closed 39 offices. This, he said, did not mean lessening of service to the public. The bank would continue to do business in the consolidated. It did, however, represent a sacrifice on the part of the customers but he felt that they would appreciate the sacrifice.

well-being, will tell me theorists and magicians what changes are acceptable in the mode of life which, with all the faults it may possess, has produced these savings and these bulwarks of personal and family security. These are the people who must be considered by those who seek to improve the lot of the masses.

Mr. Wilson readily acknowledged that the system of the whole economic system and our institutions of free Government were the results of evolution and that the changes which had been wrought about by the war would remain. Therefore, he said, the Government, particularly in the realm of maximum employment, are freed from want. The ordinary people are freed from want. The Government is at the war's close to avert mass unemployment. No pretensions plans for pensions, nor all the social security measures, will be effective without a solution of the problem of maximum employment of the total and it is not uncommon that at a time when there are 20 employees there are only 4 or 5 men. I cannot speak too highly of the manner in which these people are being taken care of, but I cannot say that any previous business experience, even carried on their duties, often under dire conditions, has been of any great help in the handling of a result of war activity. The creation of Victory Loan applications and the negotiation of coupons for the purchase of Government bonds and work and the volume of cheques in circulation has grown considerably. The Government has been called upon to assume responsibilities which under normal conditions would be performed by exchange of money for goods and services.

"We are proud of the contribution made by our staff to the armed services. Since the outbreak of war we have granted leave of absence for military service to 1,876 men. Of this number 1,792 enlisted from

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Canadian branches, and this is equivalent to well over half of the male staff under 45 years of age at the outbreak of war. I am sure

"Unhappily there have been casualties. Thirty-four of our young men whose names are recorded in the printed proceedings of this meeting have given their lives in the service of Canada. These names are held in honour, and we pay tribute to their memory."

Single British Fighter Shot Down Three Japanese Bombers

Calcutta's anti-aircraft defence
ing up a 100 per cent. score recently
when three Japanese medium bombers
s which attempted to raid the city
ere shot down by a single British
ghter—one of several sent aloft to
intercept the raiders.

Credit for the remarkable feat was confirmed in a British communication sent to Flt. Sgt. Maurice Pring, 20 Birkhamstead, England, who already has three enemy planes to his credit.

PRUDENCE

Prudence is a conformity to the rules of reason, truth, and decency, at all times and in all circumstances.
John Mason.

Those who, in the confidence of superior capacities or attainments, neglect the common maxims of life, should be reminded that nothing will supply the want of prudence.—Samuel Johnson.

The divine ruling gives prudence and energy; it banishes forever avarice, envy, rivalry, evil thinking, evil speaking and acting; and mortification, thus purged, obtains peace and power outside of itself.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The greatest good is prudence; more precious thing even than philosophy; from it spring all the other virtues.—Epicurus.

Let prudence always attend your pleasures; it is the way to enjoy the sweets of them, and not be afraid of the consequences.—Jeremy Collier
Prudence is a quality incompatible with vice, and can never be effectually enlisted in its cause.—Burke

HEAVYWEIGHT BETTING
A big, lanky lad from the Tennessee hills got into a poker game with several British Tommies. The American soldier picked up his hand and found he held four aces. He waited for his turn to bet. The Englishman next to him said: "One and a half."

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SANDS OF HAZARD

By J. B. RYAN

CHAPTER IV.

JACK STOREY returned to the desk of Captain Lebeau. "What is it now, monsieur?" he asked irritably. "I had expected to be finished with your case by this time," smiled Lebeau, "but I did not really expect that girl to be Annette Fournier. He cleared his throat. "Now, suppose you tell me about that street brawl?" You killed that man?"

To deny the charge would be to shift the blame to Annette, giving the authorities the excuse they needed to send her to the guillotine. So Jack Storey said, "Yes, I shot him."

Captain Lebeau listened to the story that followed. The meeting with Andre Ribott, and the warning given Storey by Annette; how Mohammed ibn Mulai and Storey had been waylaid by Ismeddin and his cohorts. "Why should Monsieur Ribott wait for you?"

"I do not know," admitted Storey. "Unless it is the fact that he is on my way to Libya. If Ribott is the German agent Miss Fournier suspects, he would be headed in the same direction. Perhaps he feared that I would encounter him on the desert, realize his designs, and report him to the French authorities in time to spoil his plans."

"It still remains to be proven that Ribott is not what he claims," the captain reminded the seated man. "You must know, monsieur, that you have been truthful than Mademoiselle Annette. My men checked up on your movements last night. No one in the cafe of Amar ben Yusuf remembers seeing either Monsieur Ribott or Sheikh Ismeddin there. But, however, one lone Berber in the coffee-house with whom you quarrelled and whom you followed to the street. A score of witnesses, Monsieur, have sworn that this is true."

Jack Storey had not considered the possibility of a frame-up. The townsfolk of Ain Saffa had testified falsely through fear of the redoubtable Kahiri, or Andre Ribott, acting to delay the man who might expose him now—that the attempt to kill the American had failed—had bribed everyone from Amar ben Yusuf down.

Captain Lebeau spoke to the officer behind Storey, "Bring in Sheikh Ismeddin." And Storey's brow went up at this indication that the Berber chieftain was about to confront him.

ISMEDDIN the Lawless, Sheikh of Kahiri, bowed to the seated captain and turned his arrogant eyes on Storey. "This man is mine, Sidi el Roumi?" he inquired harshly. "Patience, O Sheikh," said Lebeau. "This is a French court, and French law."

"I know only one law!" Ismeddin cut in. "The law of the Prophet!" the demand resounded for the death of Mustafa in the name of my tribe." "Sidi Storey admits the killing of Mustafa. It is my duty to punish him. The people of Ain Saffa would accept my decision, you, Ismeddin, are a Bedouin, distrustful of the ways of the foreigner. However, I am well acquainted with Islamic law. Would you accept a judgment based on those grounds?"

The Kahiri shook his head, but his eyes remained fixed with suspicion and distrust.

"Sidi Storey regrets the death of Mustafa," said Lebeau. "I am sure that he mistook Mustafa for a robber. To you, Sheikh el Kahiri, in lieu of

Mustafa's next of kin, Sidi Storey would make amends, according to Mohammedan law, by the payment of Sidi Storey is the wealth obtained from the sale of his sheep. Name the price, O Ismeddin, of Mustafa's life, and forget the blood that has been spilled between the Kahiri and Sidi Storey."

The proposal is in accord with the law of the Prophet," answered Ismeddin. "And I, Sheikh of the Kahiri, do not desire the life of any man. I am the father of Mustafa. The Berber drew himself up. "And now, Sidi el Roumi, in keeping with the same law, you have invoked, you will turn this man over to the Kahiri for justice."

EBEAU was taken aback; he had not expected the covetous Berber to reject the offer in the name of Allah. The captain drummed his fingers on the desk, temporizing. "I must turn him loose for you to wreak vengeance upon. However, there are a few formalities that must be complied with before he leaves the prison."

For a moment the Arab remained motionless, like a volcano poised for eruption. The guard moved his rifle significantly and the chief chief removed his hand from the hilt of the knife. He bowed in acceptance of his dismissal and strode toward the door.

"The law of Islam does not say when I must release this prisoner," said Lebeau evenly. "That is for me to decide." He fingered the paper on the desk. "That will be all, Sheikh Ismeddin."

For a moment the Arab remained motionless, like a volcano poised for eruption. The guard moved his rifle significantly and the chief chief removed his hand from the hilt of the knife. He bowed in acceptance of his dismissal and strode toward the door.

He paused in the doorway. "By Allah, Sidi el Roumi," he snarled, "though you lock this man up until doomday, the Kahiri will remain in Ain Saffa until you turn him out into the street!"

His footsteps echoed in the corridor, and Lebeau smiled grimly at Jonking. He was a mixture of Arab, Jew, and Christian. The Algerian pressed ignorance concerning any disposition Capt. Lebeau intended to make of the prisoner.

With the swift desert night, Storey's stifling garments became more bearable. The American stepped himself in his camel's hair abba, but was unable to sleep, even when the noises of town and building died into silence.

It must have been midnight when Storey, lying wide-eyed in the darkness, heard a faint scraping sound that could be only the cautious turning of a key in the lock of the door. He faced the sound, but in the light he could see nothing. But he detected the whisper of the moving door, the tread of a soft foot, and the careful closing of the door.

(To Be Continued)

said sourly, "Will cut your throats if you do not swallow your own lies." He lifted his dagger and placed the razor-like tip against the throat of the owner of the coffee-shop. "Speak Amar, truthful answers to any questions the Commandant may ask you."

The gun in the hand of Captain Lebeau wavered. "What is this? Are these fellows adding to the evidence they gave against Storey was false?"

The knife nestled deeper into the beard of Amar ben Yusuf, and the shopkeeper answered, "We had to testify as we did, O Sidi. The threats of Sheikh Ismeddin left us no choice."

Lebeau returned to the chair of his desk. "Now let us get to the bottom of this affair. Storey got into no quarrel with the Kahiri who was found slain in the street?"

"No," answered Amar. Mohammed prompted. "You know, O Amar, that the Berber brigands intended to waylay Sidi Storey and myself, even before we left that city call a coffee-shop?"

"I did overhear a whisper to that effect," admitted Amar. STOREY asked: "Was it Andre Ribott who gave Ismeddin the idea of attacking us?"

But Amar shook his head. "Ismeddin needed no prompting. It is common knowledge throughout all Ain Saffa that the saddle-bags of Sidi Storey are filled with silver."

"I see," nodded Lebeau. "Well, Storey, it looks like your innocence has been established."

Mohammed removed the dagger from the throat of Amar. "You wish to jail these dogs, Sidi?"

"I would need an extra prison if I locked up every liar in Ain Saffa," grinned Lebeau. "No, they have made amends for the trouble they caused."

Mohammed made a gesture of dismissal at the men who had been his prisoners. "Get you gone," he said, and looked toward the door. "You are away from Ain Saffa before Ismeddin learns what has happened."

Capt. Lebeau said shortly: "Guard, take Monsieur Storey back to his cell." At the surprised expressions on the faces of both the American and the shepherd, he said: "Sorry, Monsieur. But the establishment of your innocence has not removed the danger that hangs over us. I cannot release you until the Berbers watching every door of this building."

"Captain—" expostulated Mohammed. "Enough," said Lebeau. "I must do things my way. Return to your quarters, Storey. You, Mohammed, will remain for a word with me."

All day Jack Storey sat alone in his cell, sweating at the brassy sun that beat through the bars. At sunset, a guard brought him a bowl of mint tea and a dish of meat, a mixture of lamb, bread and eggs. The Algerian pressed ignorance concerning any disposition Capt. Lebeau intended to make of the prisoner.

With the swift desert night, Storey's stifling garments became more bearable. The American stepped himself in his camel's hair abba, but was unable to sleep, even when the noises of town and building died into silence.

It must have been midnight when Storey, lying wide-eyed in the darkness, heard a faint scraping sound that could be only the cautious turning of a key in the lock of the door. He faced the sound, but in the light he could see nothing. But he detected the whisper of the moving door, the tread of a soft foot, and the careful closing of the door.

(To Be Continued)

SELECTED RECIPES

TWO-EGG SUGARLESS CAKE
2½ cups sifted Swans Down Cake flour
4½ teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup butter or other shortening
1 cup light corn syrup
2 eggs, unbeaten
½ cup milk
1½ teaspoon vanilla

Sift flour and salt, and sift together three times. Cream shortening, add syrup gradually, beating well after each addition. Add ¼ cup flour and beat until smooth and well blended. Add egg, one at a time, beating after each. Add remaining flour in thirds, alternately with milk in halves, being well after each addition. Bake in two greased paper-lined layer pans in moderate oven (375 degrees F) 30 minutes or until done.

"Note: The baking powder quantity may be regulated downward if you're using a very strong quality. For ordinary domestic brands 4½ teaspoons are necessary."

SNOW-WHITE SUGARLESS FROSTING
1½ cups corn syrup
2 egg whites
Pinch of salt
1½ teaspoon vanilla

Combine egg whites, corn syrup, and salt in top of double boiler; beat with rotary egg beater until thoroughly mixed. Place over rapidly boiling water, beat constantly with rotary egg beater, and cook seven minutes, or until frosting is thick in peaks. Remove from boiling water; add vanilla and beat until thick enough to spread. Cover top and sides of cake.

Health LEAGUE OF CANADA presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

HAZARDS OF THE HOME

"Make Your Home Safe, an article in a recent issue of 'Hygeia', provides warning and advice for the careless home-lover, who disregarding hazards which exist in his home, may find himself a hospital patient as the result of an accident."

The more obvious dangers such as loaded firearms; toys strewn around the floors and on stairways; bottles of poison not properly labelled; sharp-edged implements and matches within reach of children, are readily recognized, says the article, but other less noticeable contributing causes of accidents within the home also require attention.

Stairways should be ample in width and constructed with proper consideration for the horizontal as well as the vertical spatial relations. A size 11 foot, says the article, does not fit well on a 7-inch tread. Wide, shallow treads are easier on both the muscles and the heart.

Open drawers should never be used as a step-ladder in reaching for the possibility of catching the feet in a dish on the top shelf, it is pointed out, and chairs and tables should not be used as substitutes for step-ladders.

Super-waxed floors are a potential danger, too, it states, and rugs should be kept in good repair to avoid the possibility of catching the feet in frayed borders, etc. The wearing of soft bedroom slippers and old, broken-down shoes, no matter how comfortable may result in a wrenched or sprained ankle. Never run up and down stairs in loose slippers, for it may mean a nasty fall.

Rubber mats should be used in bathrooms, declares the article, and a handle provided for the hand to grasp firmly. Gas heaters and stoves which are known to be leaky should not be used. Electric cords should not be pulled from sockets with the current still turned on, and electrical appliances should not be used if they have a defective wiring.

Included in the list of things to avoid are the removing of slivers with unsterilized needles, and the treating of corns and calluses with knives and scissors; both contributing causes of dangerous infection.

HAS ARTIFICIAL HANDS Edward T. Mitchell, of Cardiff, Wales, who lost both hands in a gun explosion, has an artificial pair supplied by the Ministry of Pensions. Chief-clerk in the laundry, he can write, handle the telephone and index cards and is handy with a knife and fork at home.

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For Merchant Seamen

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There is a new luxury club in Liverpool, the £20,000 Ocean Club but the only evening dress seen in it is that of the head waiters. It is a club for merchant seamen, open to any sailor 24 hours of the day, seven days a week. Everything in it is unusual. There is no canteen service. Waitresses serve dinner at their own tables in the 180-seat restaurant. Forms and trestle tables, found in most seamen's homes, are barred. The food is prepared under the direction of a well-known chef. Prices are reasonable and the menu is varied.

HOME SERVICE

CHART HELPS YOU TO LEARN TYPING



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SMILE AWHILE

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Observant Child—Mom, why hasn't dad any hair?

Mother—Because he thinks too much, darling.

Child—And why do you have so much hair, mom?

Mother—Because . . . er . . . You get along to bed this instant.

"Call the head waiter!" angrily demanded the restaurant guest. "I never saw anything as tough as this blankety blank steak."

"You will," said the waiter, pointedly. "If I call the head waiter."

"Did you become engaged at the seashore, Bess?"

No, and just look at me—tanned as an Indian, and all for nothing!"

"What do you call a person that reads heads, pop?"

"A phrenologist, my boy."

"Gee! Then ma must be one of those things. She felt my head this afternoon and said right away: 'You've been swimming.'"

Griggs—You say that your wife went to college before you married her?

Griggs—Yes, she did.

Griggs—And she thought of taking up law, you said?

Griggs—Yes, but now she's satisfied to lay it down.

"How can I get an article into your paper?" asked a subscriber of the editor of a country weekly. The editor's reply: "Simply spread the paper on the floor nice and smooth, place article exactly in centre, neatly fold the edges over it, and tie with a string."

"My wife is a whiz at removing spots from clothes."

"Grense spots?"

"No, five spots and ten spots."

Fair Amateur—The curtain will rise in a few minutes. Are you quite sure you know your words?

Hero—Yes; all except the part where I kiss you. I guess we had better rehearse that again.

Driving Examiner—"What would you do if the car brakes suddenly failed to work?"

Pupil—"Hit something cheap."

"Is the doctor in?"

"No, sir."

"Do you know when he'll be back?"

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MILITARY CALL-UP

Attention!

* SINGLE MEN *

A proclamation recently issued by His Excellency, the Governor-General, requires that every single man, born in any year from 1902 to 1923, both years inclusive, who has not already received a notice or order to report for medical examination under compulsory military service, must fill out a special form at the office of a Postmaster, a Registrar of a Mobilization Board or an Employment and Selective Service Officer not later than February 1st, 1943.

For this purpose the term "single man" also includes any male person who was a widower, or legally separated or divorced, and without a child or children dependent on him at July 15, 1940, or any such male person who has suffered the loss of his dependent child or children after that date; and any male person who, though married at July 15th 1940, since that date became a widower, legally separated or divorced, and is now without a child or children dependent on him.

Please observe that single men who have received notice to report for medical examination under the military call-up and who have been examined as required, or men who are now in the Armed Forces, are NOT included in those to register by February 1st.

Penalties are provided for failure to register.

A. MacNAMARA
Director, National Selective Service
Clinic



CHINOOK ADVANCE

CROP TESTING PLAN

There will be it seems, a decided shortage this coming year of all livestock products, and such commodities as beef, pork, bacon, butter, cheese, cream, poultry and eggs, may all have to be rationed.

It is difficult for farmers to increase suddenly livestock flocks and herds, but poultry can be increased at a quicker rate. Here is a chance for farmers wives to earn a little extra money. Those who are not keeping poultry might put in 25 or 50 hens, and those who have small flocks might enlarge them. The purchase of baby chicks is a quick and a very satisfactory way to start a laying flock.

Wheat is the main feed for poultry and there is plenty of this grain. The price of eggs and poultry is high compared with the price of wheat. There should therefore, be good money in feeding poultry for egg production.

For best egg laying results in the winter, hens require some green material. Alfalfa leaf meal is splendid for the purpose. Some farmers attempt the sprouting of wheat which, too, is an excellent green feed. It is however, somewhat messy, difficult and troublesome way to manage.

Following factors have tended to increase supplies and decrease demand: Exceptional weather has enabled Spanish growers to sow full acreage to winter wheat and rye -- Winter wheat in U. S. appears to be in excellent condition -- The Canadian gift of 76,000 tons of wheat to the Greeks has been delivered.

Mr. J. W. Wright, secretary of the Alberta Poultry Producers' Marketing Board, will commence a series of meetings on the 1st of the board commencing January 25. He will visit every section of the province and dates will be announced as arrangements are completed.

The value of obtaining good clean seed cannot be overstressed, according to A. M. Wilson, Field Crops Commissioner. Farmers at this time of the year are interested in obtaining seed of both grains and forage crops for planting next spring. If the farmer will purchase registered or certified seed, which is delivered in sealed sacks, he is protected as to quality of the seed.

If possible, sow only registered or certified seed. Just because our war effort is built around live stock products, is no reason why we should become careless about the quality of our seed. As a matter of fact, to produce more efficiently and thereby contribute in a greater degree to the war effort, the use of better seed is to be commended.

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